

# Cal OES Daily Situation Report

April 16, 2015



Big Sur on 04/14/15.

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## National Terrorism Advisory System Current Alerts



Note: [Report changes/updates are in blue](#)

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **CSWC San Francisco BioWatch Communications Drill**

At approximately 1330 hours, the CSWC conducted a San Francisco Regional BioWatch Communications Drill. Positive contact was made with Regional Health Officers and key personnel in partnering Agencies.

## **FEMA Launches New Feature to Mobile App to Follow Weather Alerts Across the Country**

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) launched a new feature to its free app that will enable users to receive weather alerts from the National Weather Service for up to five locations across the nation. This new feature allows users to receive alerts on severe weather happening anywhere they select in the country, even if the phone is not located in the area, making it easy to follow severe weather that may be threatening family and friends. [Please click here to view the full press release.](#)

## **Significant Activity – Inland Region**

Cal OES Inland Region will participate in a multi-agency disaster exercise in Amador and Calaveras Counties. The exercise is based on a vegetation fire resulting in evacuations, sheltering and medical response. Over 20 agencies will participate including, Calaveras Sheriff's Office, West Point Fire, Amador County OES, CHP, CAL FIRE, American Red Cross, Calaveras Emergency Response Teams, Mountain Valley EMS, and Amador and Calaveras Public Health.

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

## **Weather of Concern**

- Santa Ana winds will continue early this morning and taper off by midday with the strongest northeast to east winds occurring in Southern California foothills and adjacent valleys. Relative humidity will remain very low through the afternoon.

**Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:** [http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php)

## **SIGNIFICANT FIRE ACTIVITY**

**Northern California:**

### **Ward Incident , Plumas County, FRA**

Per Cal OES FDO and CAL FIRE ICS-209 dated 04/15/15 at 0731 hours:

- 10 miles SE of Taylorsville
- Type 3 IC
- 157 acres at 80%
- 1 commercial structure threatened
- Minimal fire activity overnight
- No OES or Local Government resources committed

# Key Points

04/16 – 04/22

## Thursday

- Critical fire weather conditions for portions of southern CA
- Strong winds will also cause travel impacts and localized property damage for portions of S. CA

## Friday-Wednesday

- No significant weather impacts expected



# California OES Impact Threat Matrix

Apr 16, 2015 – April 22, 2015

DAY/THREAT	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED
Fire Weather	S. CA						
Winds	S. CA						
Extreme Cold							
Snow							
Heavy Rain/ Flash Flooding							
River Flooding							
Severe Weather							
Heat							
Tropical							

	High Threat
	Moderate Threat
	Slight Threat
	No Discernible Threat



# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:**

#### **Eureka Weather:**

High pressure building over the west coast will bring dry weather and a warming trend to the interior through the weekend. The coast can expect mostly sunny skies until stratus and fog return late in the week.

#### **Medford Weather:**

A strong upper ridge is now building into the west coast. Flow aloft and from the north will weaken with time. The ridge will break to the east of the area Friday.

#### **Reno Weather:**

High pressure will bring warming temperatures, with well above normal temperatures starting Friday and lasting into next week. There will be a slight chance of afternoon and evening showers in the sierra over the weekend, with showers and possibly a few thunderstorms spreading into northeast California and western Nevada early next week.

#### **San Francisco Weather:**

A building ridge of high pressure will lead to warmer weather today and Friday. The marine layer is then expected to redevelop Friday night and over the weekend along with a cooling trend. In addition a long period swell will lead to hazardous beach conditions through Friday. For next week an upper level disturbance will bring the possibility of showers beginning about Tuesday.





# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:**

#### **Sacramento Weather:**

High pressure over the west coast for mainly fair skies and warmer than normal temperatures through the weekend. A weak low forms over the north state for a slight threat of mountain showers over the weekend and early next week.

#### **Hanford Weather:**

High pressure continues to build over the area with mainly dry conditions and temperatures returning to above average today and into the weekend.

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

#### **Los Angeles Weather:**

Gusty northeast will linger into the afternoon with the strongest winds in the Ventura and Los Angeles mountains. These offshore winds will bring above normal temperatures through Saturday. Onshore flow will return early next week with a marine layer and a cooling trend into midweek with temperatures back to normal by Monday. A Gulf of Alaska low will approach by midweek.

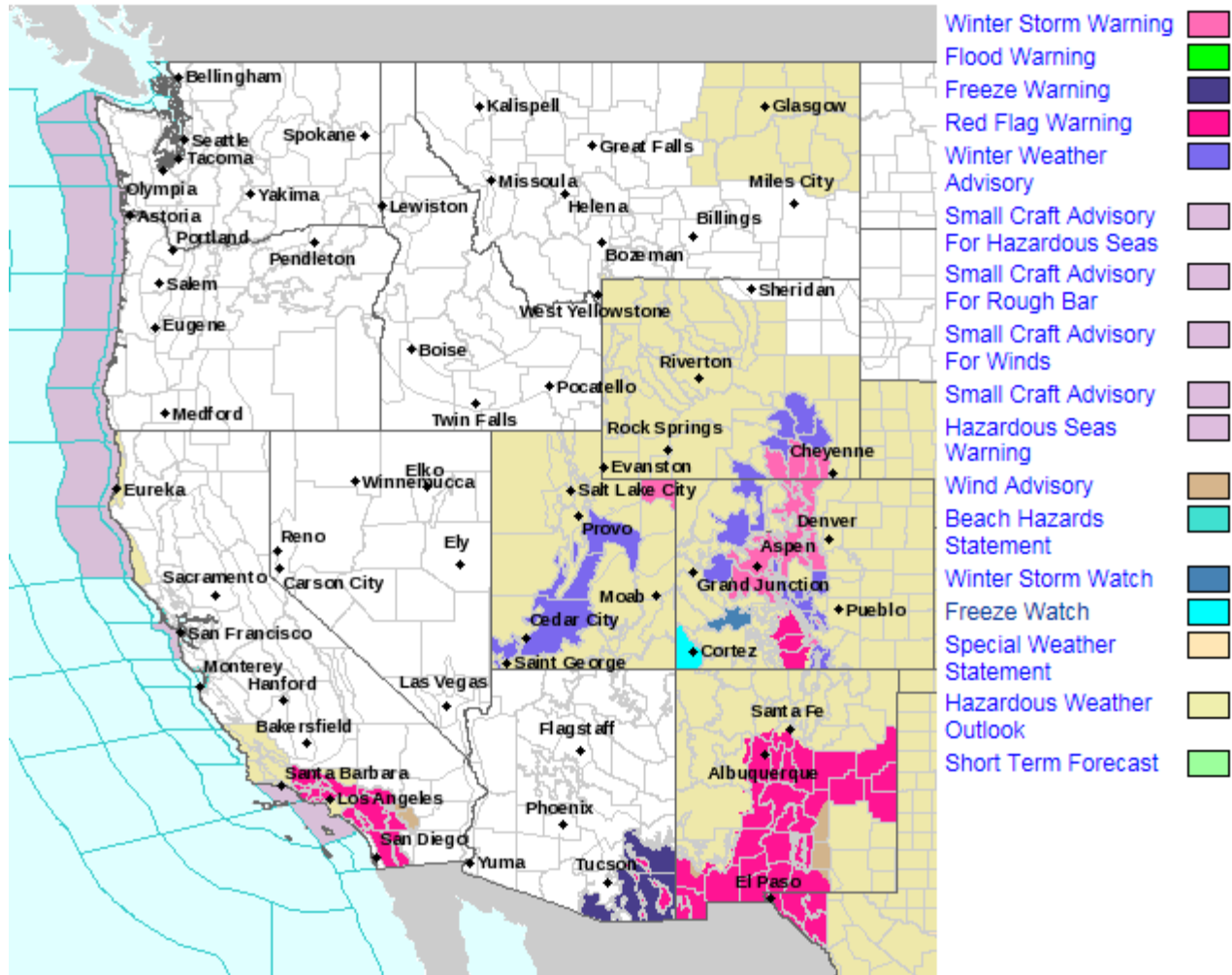
#### **Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:**

Dry and warm offshore flow will continue today with strong and gusty northeast winds mainly in foothills this morning. Sunny and warm weather continues Friday but without the winds. Onshore flow will return this weekend with some coastal low clouds returning. Next week lower pressure over California will deepen our marine layer and could bring some showers by Wednesday.

#### **Southeast California Weather:**

Expect below normal high temperatures today as an upper low becomes centered near the four corners. It will be breezy as well though winds will not be as strong over southwest Arizona and southeast California as they were yesterday. A warming trend will start Friday with highs close to normal and then reaching back into the 90s on the lower deserts this weekend. Anticipate little change Monday. Anticipate somewhat cooler temperatures toward the middle of next week.

# STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Apr, 16th 2015 at 10:27:22 am MDT



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Preparedness Levels**

### **National Preparedness Level 1**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

## RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

### Round Fire, Mono County

- Site sampling and hazardous materials recovery of the affected properties began 03/14/15. Cal Recycle began debris removal operations 03/23/15.

#### **Project Totals as Day 17:**

37	Homeowners who registered for the removal project.
4	Homeowners that denied entry.
38	Initial site assessment/site documentation complete.
38	Asbestos survey completed and results received.
23	Debris removal completed.
20/-	Confirmation sampling completed/approved.
0	Erosion Control Completed.
0	Approved by County for Building Permit.

#### **Estimated Project Total Tonnage for the Project as of Day 17:**

Category	Total Tons
Debris and Ash Disposed	2,393
Soil Disposed	3,273
Metals Recycled	1,088
Concrete Recycled	2,022
Total All Categories	8,776

#### **Estimated Daily Tonnage:**

Category	Day 17
Debris/Ash	112
Soil Disposed	283
Metal Recycled	39
Concrete Recycled	138
Total	572



# **CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT**

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Regional (Inland, Coastal, Southern) conference calls continue to occur on a weekly basis.

# CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

## Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

### **Local Emergency Proclamations:**

**A total of 54 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:**

- 24 Counties: El Dorado, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 9 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), and City of Willits (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

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